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Tetsuya FUKUNAGA, et al.

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FOR: CARBON MONOXIDE OXIDATION CATALYST, METHOD FOR PREPARATION
OF CARBON MONOXIDE OXIDATION CATALYST AND METHOD FOR
PRODUCTION OF HYDROGEN-CONTAINING GAS

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the filing date of the above-identified application be corrected to JUN 19 01. To substantiate the correct filing date of JUN 19 01, we attach a copy of the date-stamped filing receipt card. The filing receipt card has been stamped by the Patent Office when the application was presented at the Patent Office filing window in person by the Patent Office runner of this firm.

The Patent Office is requested to provide a corrected Official Filing Receipt indicating the correct filing date and any other requested corrections.

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Respectfully submitted,

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The following has been received in the U.S. Patent Office on the date stamped hereon:

- ☐ ___ pps. Specification & ___ Claims (English Translation)
- ☒ Combined Declaration, Petition & Power of Attorney (3 pages)
- ☒ Submission of Declaration under 37 CFR 1.495
- ☒ PCT Transmittal Letter
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- ☐ Drawings ___ sheets
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement; ☐ PTO-1449
- ☐ Cited References ()
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AND 37 CFR 1.494 OR 1.495**

1. The applicant is hereby advised that the United States Patent and Trademark Office in its capacity as ☐ a Designated Office (37 CFR 1.494), ☒ an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495), has determined that the above-identified international application has met the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 371, and is **ACCEPTED** for national patentability examination in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

2. The United States Application Number assigned to the application is shown above and the relevant dates are:

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3. ☒ A request for immediate examination under 35 U.S.C. 371(f) was received on 25 May 2001 and the application will be examined in turn.

4. The following items have been received:

- ☒ U.S. Basic National Fee.
- ☒ Copy of the international application.
- ☐ Translation of the international application into English.
- ☒ Oath or Declaration of inventors(s).
- ☐ Copy of Article 19 amendments. ☐ Translation of Article 19 amendments into English.
- The Article 19 amendments ☐ have ☐ not been entered.
- ☒ The International Preliminary Examination Report in English and its Annexes, if any.
- ☐ Copy of the Annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report (IPER).
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- ☒ Preliminary amendment(s) filed 25 May 2001 and _____.
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- ☐ Other:

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